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COUNTRY [REDACTED]

REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

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TOPIC Military Information from Rehagen-Klausdorf and Kummersdorf

EVALUATION see below

PLACE OBTAINED [REDACTED]

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DATE OF CONTENT 13 October to 8 November 1952

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DATE OBTAINED [REDACTED] DATE PREPARED 11 December 1952

REFERENCES [REDACTED] 25X1

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REMARKS

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1. On 1 November 1952, the Eisenbahnstation Kaserne on either side of the Rehagen-Klausdorf railroad station, Rehagen, was occupied to capacity by troops, including about 400 recruits. Weapons observed in the billeting area included 18 x 37-mm AA guns, 11 x 85-mm AA guns and 6 AA machine guns. There was no training activity.

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2. On 16 October, 3 trucks occupied by troops with red-bordered black epaulets and towing 76-mm AA guns, and 2 trucks loaded to capacity with ammunition boxes entered the Eisenbahnstation Kaserne. The trucks came from the direction of Kummersdorf.

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[REDACTED] the AA guns had a type of gun carriage similar to the former German coast AA gun.¹

3. On 5 November, the Schunke Kaserne on Schunke See (lake) was occupied to capacity. There was no training activity.²

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5. It was rumored that the former tank testing area near the Schlegelberge (hills) on the Kummersdorf firing range was to be re-used again for the same purpose. AA fire with light AA guns at jet bombers and firing with rocket launchers was heard from the artillery range on two days.⁴

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6. Military shipments observed at the Kummersdorf railroad station between 15 and 25 October included:

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<u>Shipment</u>	<u>From-To and Date</u>		
12 tank cars with fuel	Strassgraebchen to Kummersdorf 16 October		25X1
6 boxcars with military goods	Fuerstenwalde/Spree to Kummersdorf 16 October		25X1
1 boxcar with military goods	Kummersdorf to Mittenberg 15 October		
1 tank car with fuel	Kummersdorf to Rosslau 17 October		
1 tank car with fuel	Kummersdorf to Cottbus 17 October		
1 boxcar with military goods	Muellrose to Kummersdorf 17 October		
1 boxcar with military goods	Muellrose to Kummersdorf 18 October		
5 boxcars with motor vehicle spare parts	Kummersdorf to Fuerstenwalde/Spree 18 October		25X1
1 boxcar with military goods	Kummersdorf to Meinsdorf 18 October		
4 cars with coal	Klettwitz to Kummersdorf 21 October		
1 boxcar with military goods	Kummersdorf to Alt-Strelitz 21 October		
1 boxcar with military goods	Kummersdorf to Cottbus 21 October		
1 boxcar with parts of a hoisting gear	Leipzig-Flagwitz to Kummersdorf 22 October		
2 boxcars with military goods	Jueterbog to Kummersdorf 23 October		
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3 boxcars with
motor vehicle tires

Kummersdorf to
Muellrose
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13 boxcars with
military goods

Muellrose to
Kummersdorf
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1 car

Halle to
Kummersdorf
25 October

1 boxcar with
military goods

Muellrose to
Kummersdorf
25 October

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2. Comment. The 35th Tank Regt (US) of the Third Gds Mecz Army is carried in the Schunke Kaserne on Schunke See.

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4. Comment. Some sectors of the Kummersdorf firing range are target areas. Two tank repair shops of the Third Gds Mecz Army are also located in Kummersdorf.

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5. Comment. the Hq 9th Mecz Div in Cottbus until 21 October 1952. the Hq 7th Gds Tank Div in Dessau-Rosslau until 18 October 1952. were previously reported in connection with known ration supply depots.

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